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(MULTIDIMENSIONAL NEAR2 LOOKUP NEAR2 TABLE).CLM.:(CHARACTERISTIC NEAR1 POINTS NEAR4 LOOKUP).CLM.	8/24/2005	JA
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